

Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup>

Dear Mike,

No honey - we have not heard from you since the first of June & we are so lonesome for you. We have not heard since you got back from your trip. I know you had a good time. Bud just finished the rest of his vacation. He had almost 4 weeks left. He went to East Lake for three days. The fishing was terrible but it was beautiful weather. Then we stayed home & Bud painted the living room. I helped a little with the wood-work. & His antique white saw. I think I told you we had our Casenport recond in

2 Olive green crushed  
velvet. I think you  
would like it.  
The last week of our  
vacation we took Karen  
& went to Seattle & took  
him on the monorail  
out to the space needle.  
We were on it on Wed.  
evening & then on Sun.  
it ran into a steel girder  
& a lot of people were  
hurt. The brakes failed.  
On Thurs. we took the  
"Princess Marguerite" to  
Victoria. It was a four  
hour trip each way. We  
left early in the morning  
& came back at night.  
It was beautiful  
coming into Seattle  
with all the lights  
& the space needle etc.  
We stopped at Bellevue  
Wash. on the way home



9 I watched Mary Burke  
win another Championship  
golf tournament. She  
has played in three  
tournaments this  
summer & won every one.  
She is in N. Carolina this  
week playing & will  
be playing in Augusta  
in another one next week  
& then in Atlanta the  
next week. Carrie & Ann  
are leaving Fri. & will  
meet her in Augusta.  
Jim is also going. She  
is really doing well.

Did I tell you that  
Sonny put up a grape  
Stake fence all around  
their back yard? It  
looks so nice. Alf  
says it has improved  
their place 100 percent.  
Your mother sure liked  
it. Sonny has really

4 taken an interest in  
the yard this summer,  
Daren has been  
playing "Little League"  
baseball this summer  
so has really been  
using the baseball  
glove you gave him.  
Mon. night they played  
their 1st. Daren was  
so happy because he  
had his dad & Grandpa  
both. Tracy did not  
think Jerry would  
go but he did & I was  
so glad for Daren.

Well sweetie I had  
better close. Please  
write & let us know  
what you are doing, OK?  
We miss you & love  
you so very much.  
Love  
Dad & Caroline